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MEETING WITH PETE ALDRIDGE

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Judge:

Attached is background for your meeting this afternoon with Pete Aldridge. I understand his main purpose in coming over is to discuss his ideas for reorganizing the NRO. Attached is a memo from Pete to you of 14 June that describes the results of his Senior Advisory Planning Group (SAPG). That report basically supported NRO's current approach to insuring a balanced launch capability. The memo also indicated that Pete was considering organizational changes to the NRO. In your response to that memo, you noted that you looked forward to further discussions with him regarding organizational proposals.

While he is here, Pete may also raise the issue of his request to you that he be given formal authority to formulate BYEMAN security policy for the U.S. Government. At present, the CIA's Office of Security has that responsibility. Pete made this request in a memo to you of 13 June and attached to the inside cover of this background package is a copy of the proposed response to that letter from General Heinz and Rae Huffstuttler for your signature. They recommend you deny the transfer of BYEMAN security authorities to the NRO. The formal package for this recommendation just went to Mr. Gates today and you will have it on your desk later today or tomorrow. In any event, I thought you would want to see it before your meeting with the Director of NRO today.

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